

1. Compiles a monthly index, a register of classified information from every agency.
2. FOIA to reformed classification system.

The index will be transmitted monthly to the new Joint Committee on Government Secrecy--which will review--and can obtain any documents--can go to court. Joint Committee also will establish ground rules for all of Congress as to security standards for congressional employees and access to information.

Joint Committee

exercise oversight of dissemination of information to Congress--assuring proper flow.

- S. 3393 [Muskie] "Government Secrecy Central Act of 1974"
- A. Establishes Joint Committee on Government Secrecy
    1. Will oversee classification practices in Government
    2. Will review document holdings of all agencies--can order public disclosure--can bring court action to enforce its orders.
    3. Will establish security clearance procedures for congressional employees and determine policies for the dissemination of information to the Congress.
  - B. Establishes a Registrar (office) of National Defense and Foreign Policy Information in Executives Offices of President
    1. Will compile and maintain indices of all classified holdings. The listing will be furnished monthly to the new Joint Committee for its review and determination as to disclosure.
    2. Will assume all of the personnel and records of the Interagency Classification Review Committee established under E.O. 11652 which is abolished.
    3. Will issue classification regulations in Government and oversee implementation.
  - C. Establishes procedures for automatic declassification of information more than ten years old.